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## VIA FACSIMILE AND HAND DELIVERY

The Honorable P. Kevin Castel United States District Court for the Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Room 2260 New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: Webb's Candies, Inc. v. The Hershey Company, et al. S.D.N.Y. No. 08 CIV 0382 (PKC)

Dear Judge Castel:

I am counsel to The Hershey Company ("Hershey") in the above-referenced sase submit this letter to the Court to propose an extension of time.

The current date established for Hershey to answer, move, or otherwise respond to the complaint is on February 7, 2008. The parties are discussing whether to enter into a stipulation pending a decision of the MDL Panel In re Chocolate Confectionary Antitrust Litigation, MDL No. 1935, which is considering the consolidation and coordination of more than 40 actions similar to this one. Hershey respectfully requests—and plaintiff Webb's Candies, Inc. has consented to—a 30-day extension of the time for all defendants served to respond to Webb's Candies's complaint to allow further discussion of a stipulation. Subject to further agreement, Hershey and other defendants served the same day will answer, move, or otherwise respond to the complaint on March 10, 2008. This is Hershey's first request for an adjournment or extension, and this extension would not affect any other scheduled dates.

Counsel is available at the Court's convenience to answer any questions the Court may have.

Sincerely,

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